

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In Re Application of :

Steven L. Webb et al.

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Examiner: Thomas J.
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
IMPROVING A PROGRESS
MONITOR DURING A LONG
COMPUTER PROCESS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

To: Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

This is in response the Final Office action mailed
February 27, 2003, in the above-captioned application.
Please amend the application as follows.

In the Claims

Please amend claim 7 as follows:

7) (once amended) The progress monitor of claim 1
where the information becoming visible is the next line
of text in a story.